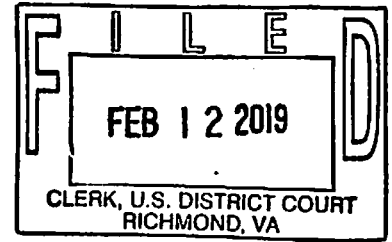


**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
Richmond Division**



ROY COCKRUM, <i>et al.</i> ,	)	
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Plaintiffs,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Civil Action No. 3:18cv484-HEH
	)	
DONALD J. TRUMP FOR	)	
PRESIDENT, INC.,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

**ORDER**  
**(Granting Defendant's Motion to Stay Discovery)**

THIS MATTER is before the Court on Defendant's Motion to Stay Discovery (ECF No. 74) and issues raised in the parties' Second Joint Statement Regarding Discovery Plan (ECF No. 88). A hearing was conducted before the Court on February 11, 2019, during which the Court made the following rulings:


1. Any new discovery request is STAYED until this Court issues its forthcoming Opinion on Defendant's Motion to Dismiss the Amended Complaint.
2. Within fourteen (14) days of the entry of this Order, Defendants shall submit to Plaintiffs' counsel a privilege log related to discovery requests that Plaintiffs have already issued. Alternatively, in the event Defendant objects to submitting a privilege log, Defendant's Motion noting this objection shall be filed within fourteen (14) days of the entry of this Order. Thereafter, Plaintiffs' response to Defendant's Motion will be due within seven (7) days.
3. Regarding depositions, Plaintiffs may not subpoena any White House staff without requesting leave to do so from this Court. In addition, prior to subpoenaing the deposition of any witness under federal criminal indictment, Plaintiffs are required to give notice to the U.S. Attorney's Office that brought the indictment. With respect to persons known to be under investigation by the Office of Special Counsel, such notice shall be given to that Office. Any other issues relating to

depositions, including the number of non-party depositions that either side may request, will be addressed on a case-by-case basis.

4. Plaintiffs requests for additional interrogatories is granted in part. Plaintiffs are granted a total of thirty (30) interrogatories in this matter.
5. Requests for discovery pertaining to any documents or events that occurred after July 22, 2016 must be relevant and narrowly focused on Plaintiffs' allegations in the Amended Complaint.

The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Order to all counsel of record.

It is so ORDERED.

 /s/ \_\_\_\_\_  
Henry E. Hudson  
Senior United States District Judge

Date: February 12, 2019  
Richmond, Virginia